



## The Character of Porta Romana

The area is located in the southern urban sector, close to the historical external road network and adjacent to important transformations in the production/fashion/residence and prada foundation. The proximity to the historical center, the subway and future new railway station will make this area more rich and attractive in city

## The Connection point between urban and sub-urban

From the analysis of sections that led to the understanding of public spaces emerged, as the part to the north of the city was mainly composed of spaces defined as "private" in the sense that they are often enclosed within closed courts and the for this formal reason don not maintain great relations with the city and urban fabric, while, on the contrary, in the southern part there are more open spaces and therefore they are in a state of openness speak to the city itself.

## The Functions and Building Density

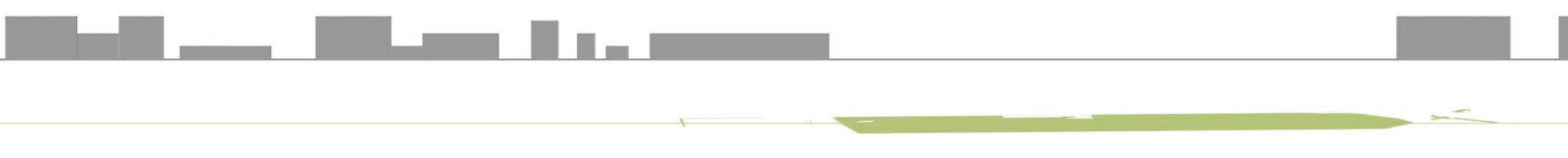
This different type of space is mainly due to the settlement principles that characterized the urban evolution of the city of Milan, as the northern part is the result of a well designed and studied project and was generated through well-defined principles and hierarchies - It is in fact the oldest and most historical part, still contained within the last ringroads, while in the south the building has undergone a process that is often uncontrolled, in which the presence of low buildings and industrial use.



Urban Section North-South



Urban Section West-East



## The Project

Base on the needs and future possibilities in the site, our aim is to create a new urban meeting place between city and sub-urban in such a "boundary" area. Since we want to bring city to the site, enhance the permeability in a north-south direction, we highlight the mainly connection from outside to inside and give more public space for nowadays city life.

In order to patch the physical gap in the site, we create landscape cover through the site which also give back more space for site. Also when citizens through the site they can experience more different moment in this area. so finally our site was shape by the city and also involve in the local scale.

